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PETITION TO SAVE PACE'S POST OFFICE

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We the following citizens of the Town of Pace, Mississippi do hereby appeal the decision by the United State Postal Service to close the Pace Post Office and ask for reconsideration to keep it open because closing it is a dire hardship for this already distressed community. Closing the Post Office will have a negative effect on the promotion of civic, social, educational, cultural, moral and economic welfare of an already suppressed community. The Post Office is a focal point for our people to meet and gather not only to pickup their mail but to enjoy one of the only federal services provided to this small community. We feel that a Full-Service Post Office is one of our basic American rights and one of the only services still being provided by the federal government for our tax dollars.

1. Our people view a Full-Service Post Office as a basic constitutional right and to take it away is an infringement upon our pursuit of life, liberty and individual happiness.

2. Transportation to Cleveland, the nearest place where full-service is available for Pace citizens, is an economic hardship, very difficult, and impossible for some, because of high gas prices, the economy in general and the lack of ownership of an automobile by many.

3. Pace and the surrounding community is comprised of a large number of elderly, fix-low income individuals, many without automobiles. Pace is located in the middle of the Mississippi Delta, the poorest region in the nation. Going out of town to pick up mail, pay bills, (many still pay bills with money orders purchased from the postal clerk), and to pick up their welfare checks is an extreme hardship that many will not be able to overcome because they are set in their ways, not familiar with doing business by modern technology, ie computers, which is still decades away for the majority.

4. The Post Office has become a staple and way of life from most rural residents. It is the only reason for many to get out of the houses, get a little exercise and meet and greet neighbors in the community.

5. It is feared by the elderly, and with a high probability of truth, that if we lose the Post Office, their mail through mail carriers and mail boxes will be vandalized and stolen by younger population of the community.

6. We realize that the Postal Service is having rough economic times, but to balance its budget on the backs of the poorest segment of the population, the ones that need the services the most, isn't American. The \$54,000 annually, a doubtful figure for the Pace Post Office, is minute and hardly worth mentioning when considering the entire budget. You would have to close up several million Pace Post Offices before it will have an impact on the total budget.

Therefore, we respectfully appeal the Postal Service's decision to close the Pace Post Office.

	NAME	ADDRESS (POST OFFICE BOX #)	PHONE NO.
178.	Brendan	Washington	
179.	Ruby T Thornhill		
180.	Maranda Lambert		
181.	Jacqueline Badden		
182.	Antonio Lambert		
183.	Doris Lambert		
184.	Anthony Lambert		
185.	Shirley Raming		
186.	Barbara Wms.		
187.	Kerisha Williams		
188.	Larry Hill		
190.	Tameshia Reed		
191.	Bobby Jackson		
192.	Clarence Whitt		
193.	Mary Whitt		
194.	Ludvik d Late		
195.	Lebertha Johnson		
196.	Helen Mosely		
197.	ARIE ROLAND		
199.	Marie Washington		
200.	Anthony M. Hill		

	NAME	ADDRESS (POST OFFICE BOX #)	PHONE NO.
1.	Robert Jefferson, Sr.		
2.	William Evans		
3.	Linda Hall		
4.	Jane Haynes		
5.	Terry Hampton		
6.	Terry Gray		
7.	Doris Marshall		
8.	Edward Styles		
9.	Rodney Lee		
10.	Cal Lee		
11.	Rosie McCoy		
12.	Reba McCreary		
13.	Tracy Walker		
14.	Dirett Forrest		
15.	Rose Walker		
16.	Linda Coleman		
17.	C.L. Coleman		
18.	Callie Coleman		
19.	Olis Marshall Sr.		
20.	Caroline Walker		
21.	Clarice Walker		

	NAME	ADDRESS (POST OFFICE BOX #)	PHONE NO.
22.	Louis Anderson		
23.	Marjaret Goss		
24.	Marvin Goss		
25.	Robert L.		
26.	Kit Lum		
27.	Brenda Bryant		
28.	Claretta Evans		
29.	Patricia Luford		
30.	Deloris Johnson		
31.	Shirley Boxley		
32.	Robert Boxley II		
33.	Robert Boxley III		
34.	Lindley Boxley		
35.	Maguire Lambert		
36.	Walter Tate		
37.	Larry Evans		
38.	Opportia Evans		
39.	Shannon Greenidge		
40.	Lawonna Marshall		
41.	Ricardo Greenidge		
42.	JACOB Henschel		
43.	Eddie Hall		

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44.	Meesha Lessie	1717 D	1 - 400 - 7000
45.	Kosie Lambert		
46.	Stacy Brown Jr.		
47.	LORETTA Brown		
48.	UNIQUE BROWN		
49.	ROY BROWN		
50.	Quantarius Pawkins		
51.	LEE Pawkins		
52.	Jerry Hall		
53.	Eduard Hall		
54.	Lecc. Byrd		
55.	Ron D. Byrd		
56.	Byrd, Jr.		
57.	McArthur Tate		
58.	Lelia Tate		
59.	Darlene D. Washington		
60.	Walter Richard		
61.	JAMES WILLIAMS		
62.	William Jones		
63.	Elizabeth J. Malone		
64.	Chancy Brown		
65.	James Robinson		

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66.	Mamie Reed		
67.	Julia Bates		
68.	Bert Bates		
69.	Ethel Hayes		
70.	Eugene Silas		
71.	Billy Hamilton		
72.	Davis Hill		
73.	Andrew Woodruff		
74.	Lynn Jackson		
75.	Marion B. Jackson		
76.	Lynn Jackson		
77.	Norman Smith		
78.	Earnestine Smith		
79.	Vickie Watkins		
80.	Joseph K. Hamber		
81.	Jeremy Watkins		
82.	Johnnie Horn		
83.	Wil Horn		
84.	Florida Wright		
85.	Rosie Robinson		
86.	Beverly Shelly		
87.	Annelda Shelly		

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88.			
89.	Alonzo Shelly		
90.	Tim Shelly		
91.	Ernest		
92.	Ernest Tate		
93.	Rosetta Tate		
94.	Geronda Tate		
95.	Deloris Tate		
96.	Linda Tate		
97.	Willie A. Towers		
98.	Paul Towers		
99.	Nathan Towers		
100.	Angela Towers		
101.	Kevin Towers		
102.	Kiwanie Towers		
103.	Annette Triplett		
104.	Jessie Triplett		
105.	Jahell Triplett		
106.	Rencia Edward		
107.	Lemarcus Triplett		
108.	Gary Mason		
109.	Charles Holins Jr		

	NAME	ADDRESS (POST OFFICE BOX #)	PHONE NO.
110.			
111.	Elizabeth Trevis		
112.	Charles D. Jackson		
113.	Charlotte B. Jackson		
114.	Dixie Dudley (D.D. Street)		
115.	Danny Hamilton		
116.	Mavis Hamilton		
117.	Benny Hamilton JR		
118.	Jason Hamilton		
119.	Bray		
120.	Kenford Linn		
121.	Beatrice Matthews		
122.	Perry Matthews		
123.	Walter Cornell		
124.	Elizabeth Lee		
125.	Dany Pats		
126.	Bobby Hilbert		
127.	Kay Hilbert		
128.	Medard Hall		
129.	Bond Murphy		
130.	Lawrence Murphy		
131.	Krista Murphy		

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132.	Christopher T. Hall Sr.		
133.	Monithia Reed		
134.	Cedra Bolden		
135.	Walter Johnson		
136.	Deoris Johnson P.		
137.	Thaddeus Roy		
138.	Johnny Hammond		
139.	Christina Hammond		
140.	McArthur Hays		
141.	Willie Ree Hays		
142.	A. H. Terrell		
143.	Jamarcus Reed		
144.	Veronica Reed		
145.	Janean Walk		
146.	Estelle Williams		
147.	Eugene Williams		
149.	Andra G. Wade		
150.	Game Foster		
151.	Earnestine Westley		
152.	Dennis Westley		
153.	W. J. L. Selman		
154.	Doris Selman		

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155.	Sara Newton		
156.	Cherise Hall		
157.	Charles Walker		
158.	Jean Jackson		
159.	Florida Graham		
160.	Caren Greenwood		
161.	Hardy William		
162.	HC Mcses		
163.	Lee B Watter		
164.	Bonita Epps		
165.	Clarence Epps		
166.	Amber Epps		
167.	Jawaski Epps		
168.	LaSandrea Williams		
169.	Mae Rosie Williams		
170.	Lillie Damrell		
171.	Kathy Damrell		
172.	Maudie Taylor		
173.	Larkin Taylor		
175.	Paul W. Hester		
176.	Magan Skinner		
177.	James Washington		